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TERMINALS AND AN ACCESS POINT IN A COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

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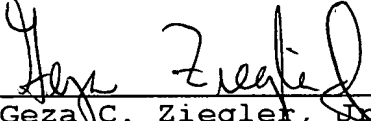
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The above-identified patent application has a corresponding PCT International Application No. PCT/FI

01/00431 filed May 7, 2001. Applicants' attorney encloses a copy of a PCT International Search Report issued on the corresponding PCT International Application No. PCT/FI 01/00431. The Search Report cited United States Patent Nos. US 5,657,317, US 5,930,243, US 6,047,189, and "The Smart Wireless LAN System: Physical Layer Design and Results", Okamoto et al., In Vehicular Technology Conference, 1997, IEEE 47th, pages 1312-1316.

Copies of the PCT International Search Report and the cited references are enclosed together with PTO-Form 1449.

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